

# NEWSLETTER

# LEICESTER GRAMMAR JUNIOR SCHOOL

No. 234 28th April 2023

Dear parents,

What a wonderful day filled with happiness and laughter. The children and staff have thoroughly enjoyed the King's Coronation celebrations. Enjoy the wonderful photographs (with more on social media).

Have a safe, happy long weekend.

With warmest wishes,

Sophia Ashworth Jones

Headmistress

# Weekly Communications Round Up - Events & Reminders

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
ALL CHILDREN/	Bank Holiday	All Class Photos			
Key Stage					
Groups					
EYFS & Year 1	See tapestry				
Year 2					2JT Forest School - pm
Year 3					
Year 4			Yr.4 Grafham Water		
			Residential departs		
Year 5		Yr.5 Everdon River Trip		Fire Service Talks	
Year 6					

# **Key Upcoming Dates**

Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	School Closed – Bank Holiday Year 6 Residential Trip - Depart
Thursday 11th May	3LH Class Assembly 8.40am – IAPS Golf Tournament
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> May	2KT Forest School – am, 2H Forest School – pm Year 6 French Return

Term card change - Unfortunately Stamford double booked on the 17th May so the U11 Cricket Fixture is cancelled

**Key Dates for Trinity Term** 

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SPORTS WEEK	
Monday 19th June KS1 Sports Afternoon (1:30pm)	
Tuesday 20th June Ultimate Frisbee festival	
Wednesday 21st June KS2 Sports Day (8:45 – 3:30)	
Thursday 22nd June Early Years Sports Afternoon (1:30pm)	
Friday 23rd June Years 5 & 6 Triathlon Day	
YEAR 6 PRODUCTION / LEAVERS PARTY/ PRZIE GIVING	
28 <sup>TH</sup> & 29 <sup>TH</sup> June Year 6 Production (LGS Drama Studio, 7:00pm)	
30 <sup>TH</sup> June Year 6 Leavers' Party	
Monday 3rd LGJS Prizegiving (St Nicholas Hall, 1:30pm)	

### **SPORTS NEWS**

We welcomed Laxton for our first cricket fixture Wednesday. It was a resounding success for all those involved with LGJS taking a clean sweep!

Congratulations to Connie Kyle who has qualified for the national swimming finals on Saturday 3 June. Her time of 16.03, 25m freestyle qualified her in 8th place nationally! She was well supported on the day of the regional event with Sophia Ashraf, Philippa Hird & Shreeya Bhalla all competing in the relay events. They finished 93rd from a field of 134 schools. We also had regional success in the pool with our relay teams. We have qualified for the English schools championships in Sheffield on Saturday 17 June!

### **Coronation Winners**

These are the children who were the overall winners - their' 'crown jewels' were used as part of the coronation.

- Aarav Bagga
- Zane Ezzat
- George Dalby
- Cecil Brown
- Poppy Scales

### Year One Environment Club News:

In support of Earth Day, thank you everyone for dressing in Earth colours and for bringing in £1 to raise funds for our new playground frog bin. We raised over £300. We had some thoughtful work too. Keep an eye out for the arrival of our new bin!



# **PHOTO BOARD**

**African Drumming Workshop** Reception classes enjoyed an African Drumming Workshop on Monday





King's Coronation







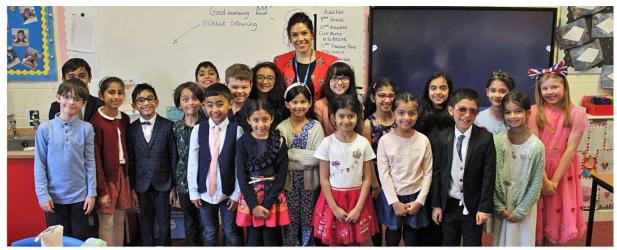


























# **Coronation Dance**



























# **Headteacher Awards:**

Congratulations to the following children who have achieved a Headteacher Award this week:

Mehdi Hussain	3CH	Fantastic descriptive writing on the Rain Forest
Lilian Blackmore	Reception W	Super writing
Sami Sirur	2JT	Magnificent fractions work
Harry Dalby	2JT	Excellent fractions work

# **Housepoints:**

St. Andrew's	St. Cuthbert's	St. Giles	St. Mary's
Hana Akhtar	Kee Han Soh		
	Sasha Patel		
TOTAL 49 POINTS	TOTAL 73 POINTS	TOTAL 61 POINTS	TOTAL 75 POINTS

# **Music Awards**

Reuben Basnayake	<u>Trombone</u> Grade 2	
Zane Ezzat	<u><b>Trumpet</b></u> Grade 1	Merit

## **Celebrating Achievements:**

- Lana Khetia received her Puffin Award from Swim England
- Reyansh Kamboj received his Level 3 Award from Swim England
- Anay Patel won a pair of Golf shoes for coming first in NET
- Saanchi Singh received her Macaroni Penguin Swimming Diploma



Philippa Herdreceiving her prize for winning the Harbs Collective Easter trail from Claire at the Paint Pottle. She correctly managed to locate Ollie the Otter on the Easter trail.

Well Done Everyone!